

ORDINANCE 122349

AN ORDINANCE relating to City employment; authorizing the Mayor to sign and/or execute a Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Seattle and the Coalition of City Unions regarding personal holidays; providing non-represented employees additional personal holidays upon completion of a designated amount of City service; and amending the Seattle Municipal Code Section 4.20.190.

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NOW, THEREFORE,

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bargaining agreement unless the labor organization representing such employee agrees to
be bound solely by provisions of this section with respect to the subject matter hereof.
The Personnel Director is hereby authorized to promulgate rules providing alternative
holiday pay or time off for employees not covered by collective bargaining agreements
whose work schedules are other than five (5) eight (8) hour days in a payroll workweek.

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organizations pursuant to RCW 41.56 and who have completed eighteen thousand seven
hundred and twenty (18,720) hours or more on regular pay status on or before December
31, of the previous year shall be entitled to two (2) additional personal holidays in each
subsequent calendar year.

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Passed by the City Council the 26th day of February, 2007, and signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this 26th day of February, 2007.



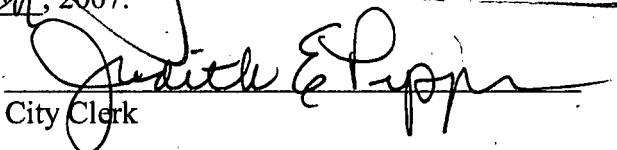
President _____ of the City Council

Approved by me this 5th day of March, 2007.



Gregory J. Nickels, Mayor

Filed by me this 8th day of March, 2007.



City Clerk

(Seal)

Attachment 1: Coordinated Bargaining Memorandum of Understanding Between the City of Seattle And Signatory Unions November 1, 2006





City of Seattle

Gregory J. Nickels, Mayor

Office of the Mayor

February 6, 2007

Honorable Nick Licata
President
Seattle City Council
City Hall, 2nd Floor

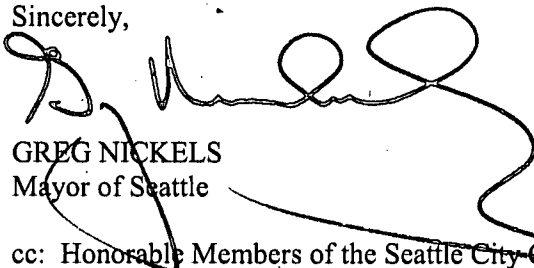
Dear Council President Licata:

I am pleased to transmit the attached proposed Council Bill that provides additional personal holidays for certain City of Seattle employees who have completed a designated amount of City service. The proposed Council Bill authorizes the Mayor to sign and/or execute a Memorandum of Understanding between the City and the Coalition of City Unions ("the Coalition") to be effective through December 31, 2007. The Memorandum of Understanding amends signatory unions' collective bargaining agreements to provide represented employees who have completed eighteen thousand seven hundred twenty (18,720) hours an additional two (2) personal holidays per year, and grandfathers the City's practice of providing 10-hour holidays to employees on a 4/10 schedule. The proposed Council Bill also amends the Seattle Municipal Code to provide the same holiday benefit to non-represented employees. In 2007, this Council Bill will affect approximately 2,385 represented employees and 1,364 non-represented employees.

The tentative agreement between the City of Seattle and the Coalition that was signed on May 25, 2005 provided that the City and the Coalition open their contracts on the sole issue of personal holidays if the City's Retirement System 2005 year-end actuarial study found that its unfunded actuarial liability did not exceed thirty years. In mid-2006, the study reported that the City's Retirement system was at an 18-year unfunded liability, and so the City and the Coalition entered into negotiations. The City of Seattle's non-represented employees have historically received the same increases to compensation and benefits as the Coalition; the proposed Council Bill would amend the Seattle Municipal Code to keep with this practice.

Thank you for your consideration of this legislation. Should you have questions, please contact David Bracilano at extension 4-7874 or Sarah Butler at extension 4-7929.

Sincerely,



GREG NICKELS
Mayor of Seattle

cc: Honorable Members of the Seattle City Council

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Coordinated Bargaining

Memorandum of Understanding

Between the City of Seattle

And

Signatory Unions

November 1, 2006

This Agreement is by and between the City of Seattle (the City) and the signatory Unions (the Unions).

Whereas, the City and the Unions entered into negotiations due to a re-opener on Personal Holidays contained in the Tentative Agreement between the City of Seattle and the Coalition of City Unions signed on May 25, 2005;

Whereas, the City and the Unions agreed to increase the number of personal holidays granted to employees with ten years of City service from two per year to four per year; and

Whereas, the City and the Unions agreed that employees working 4/10 schedules will be paid eight hours for each City holiday; therefore,

The City and the Unions agree as follows:

I. Definition:

"Covered Employee" means a City employee in a bargaining unit represented by a union that is a signatory to this agreement.

II. Personal Holidays:

A covered employee who has completed eighteen thousand seven hundred and twenty (18,720) hours on regular pay status by December 31, 2006, shall receive an additional two (2) personal holidays during 2007 for a total of four (4) personal holidays. The additional two personal holidays shall be added to the leave balance of said employees upon the effective date of the ordinance authorizing this new benefit.

Effective January 1, 2007, covered employees who have completed eighteen thousand seven hundred and twenty (18,720) hours or more on regular pay status on or before December 31st of the current year shall receive an additional two (2) personal holidays for a total of four (4) personal holidays to be added to their leave balance on the pay date of the first full pay period in January of the following year.



III. Holiday Pay for 4/10 Work Schedules:

Covered employees who are not currently on a 4/10 work schedule and subsequently are assigned to work a 4/10 work schedule shall receive eight (8) hours of holiday pay for a City holiday.

Effective December 31, 2006, a covered employee who is currently working on a 4/10 work schedule on the date this agreement is signed and who receives ten (10) hours of holiday pay for City holidays shall be grandfathered to continue to receive ten (10) hours of holiday pay for City holidays whenever he or she is working a 4/10 work schedule if the following conditions are met:

- 1) The employee is continuously employed in his or her current department; and
- 2) The employee is in a bargaining unit represented by a union signatory to this agreement.

For example, a grandfathered employee who is currently assigned to work a 4/10 work schedule is assigned to work a 5/8 work schedule three months out of the year. When this employee is reassigned to work the 4/10 work schedule, he or she will then receive the ten hour holiday pay as long as he or she is assigned to work the 4/10 work schedule. While the employee is working the 5/8 work schedule, he or she shall receive eight hour holiday pay.

Each City department shall compile a list identifying all covered employees who currently receive ten hour holidays. This list shall be finalized with the concurrence of the Coalition of City Unions and will be memorialized in a separate Letter of Agreement.

Established this day of .

THE CITY OF SEATTLE

David Bracilano
Director of Labor Relations

Gregory J. Nickels, Mayor
The City of Seattle



SIGNATORY UNIONS

Scott Best, President
Seattle Police Dispatchers' Guild

David Grage, Secretary-
Treasurer
Teamsters, Local 763

Steve Bloom, Business Representative
I.U. Painters & Allied Trades
District Council #5

Janet I. Lewis, Business
Representative
I.B.E.W., Local 46

Ouida Bryson, President
Seattle Municipal Court Marshals' Guild
I.U.P.A., Local 600

John Masterjohn, Business
Manager
P.S.I.E., Local 1239

Dennis Conklin, Regional Director
Inlandboatmen's Union of the Pacific

Rodney Mesa, Business
Representative
I.U. Operating Engineers, Local
286

Bill Dennis, Staff Representative
WSCCC, Council 2
Locals 21 and 21P

Omar Perestrejo, Business
Representative
H.E.R.E., Local 8

Diana Douglas, Union Representative
I.F.P.T.E., Local 17

Guadalupe Perez, Business
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Marty Fox, Business Representative
Sheet Metal Workers, Local 66

Gary Powers, Business
Representative
Boilermakers Union, Local 104

Adrienne Thompson, Union Representative
I.F.P.T.E., Local 17

Wayne Thueringer, Business Representative
P.N.W.R.C.C.

Jennifer Tran, Union Representative
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William Wickline, Business Representative
I.A.T.S.E., Local 15

John A. Williams, Secretary-Treasurer
Teamsters, Local 117

Marty Yellam, Business Representative
U.A. Plumbers & Pipefitters, Local 32

FISCAL NOTE FOR NON-CAPITAL PROJECTS

Department:	Contact Person/Phone:	DOF Analyst/Phone:
Personnel	David Bracilano/47874 Sarah Butler/47929	Carolyn Iblings/45211

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• **Summary of the Legislation:**

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• **Background:** *(Include brief description of the purpose and context of legislation and include record of previous legislation and funding history, if applicable):*

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Please check one of the following:

X **This legislation does not have any financial implications.** *(Stop here and delete the remainder of this document prior to saving and printing.)*

Indirect costs that may be associated with the provision of additional personal holidays will be absorbed into departments' 2007 budget.

STATE OF WASHINGTON – KING COUNTY

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CITY OF SEATTLE, CLERKS OFFICE

No.

Affidavit of Publication

The undersigned, on oath states that he is an authorized representative of The Daily Journal of Commerce, a daily newspaper, which newspaper is a legal newspaper of general circulation and it is now and has been for more than six months prior to the date of publication hereinafter referred to, published in the English language continuously as a daily newspaper in Seattle, King County, Washington, and it is now and during all of said time was printed in an office maintained at the aforesaid place of publication of this newspaper. The Daily Journal of Commerce was on the 12th day of June, 1941, approved as a legal newspaper by the Superior Court of King County.

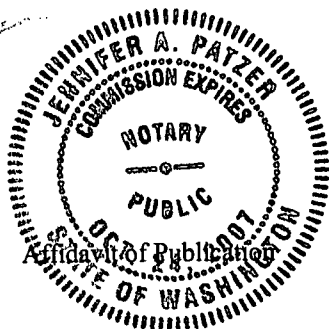
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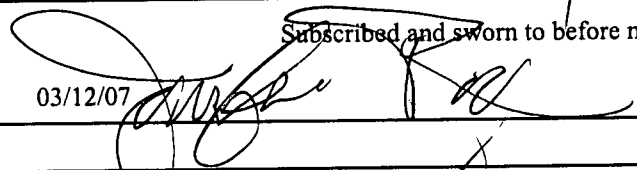
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The amount of the fee charged for the foregoing publication is the sum of \$ 223.20, which amount has been paid in full.





Subscribed and sworn to before me on
03/12/07 

Notary public for the State of Washington,
residing in Seattle

State of Washington, King County

City of Seattle

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Nick Licata

President of the City Council

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Gregory J. Nickols, Mayor

Filed by me this 5th day of March, 2007.

(Seal) Judith Pippin, City Clerk

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See City Clerk for Attachment

Publication ordered by JUDITH PIPPIN, City Clerk

Date of publication in the Seattle Daily Journal of Commerce, March 12, 2007.

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PROJECT DESCRIPTION: This project repairs/replaces outfall pipes discharging into Lake Washington from Meadowbrook Pond and consists of the following elements of Work: development and implementation of an erosion and sediment control plan focusing on underwater construction and water quality (turbidity) performance criteria; removing underwater asbestos coated corrugated metal pipe and over excavating existing bedding; underwater installation and reconnection of high deflection ductile iron pipe and mineral aggregate bedding materials; dewatering and cleaning/repairing of concrete pipe; internal carbon fiber wrapping of concrete pipe; construction of underwater drilled concrete foundations, placement of steel piles and steel lagging; landscape work; and pavement removal/installation.

ESTIMATE: The Engineer's Estimate for this Project is \$985,000.00

BID SUBMITTAL: Sealed bids will be received for this project by the Purchasing and Contracting Services Division of the City of Seattle Department of Executive Administration at one of the following addresses no later than 2:00 P.M. on Wednesday, April 4th, 2007.

Post Office Box: Seattle Municipal Tower,
PO Box 94687, Seattle WA 98124-4687 or:

Street Address: 700 - 5th Ave Room 4112,
Seattle Municipal Tower, Seattle WA 98104.

If sending by courier (UPS, FedEx, etc.) the street address must be used. If mailing by regular US mail, the Post Office Box must be used. Bidders are responsible for ensuring that the proper Zip code is used. The City of Seattle will not be responsible for a late bid. Bids received after the deadline will be returned unopened. Bids received by 2:00 P.M. on April 4th, 2007, will be publicly opened and read immediately after 2:00 P.M. on April 4th, 2007.

PRE-BID SITE INSPECTION: Bidders must attend one mandatory pre-bid site inspection which will be held on the following dates:

1. March 21st, Wednesday, 2007, at 10:00 AM at the Project Site (Riviera Place NE between NE 106th Street and NE 108th Street).

2. March 28th, Wednesday, 2007 at 2:00 PM at the Project Site.

No bid will be accepted from any bidder who does not attend at least one of the mandatory pre-bid meetings.

OBTAINING BID DOCUMENTS:

The Drawings and Project Manual may be obtained by downloading from the City's website, <http://www.ebidexchange.com/seattle>

The Drawings and Project Manual may also be obtained by Bidders in person at:

Records Vault Counter

Seattle Public Utilities

Room 4798, Seattle Municipal Tower

700 Fifth Avenue

Seattle, Washington 98104-5004

(206) 884-4671

FAX (206) 884-7396

Bidders may contact the above number to request that the Drawings and Project Manual be sent by U.S. mail, or through FedEx by furnishing a FedEx account number with the request. Note that U.S. mail may take up to 2 weeks to deliver.

Cost of the documents will be charged as follows and are non-refundable:

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